HCS HB 2108 -- ELECTRONIC FILING OF FORM W-2

SPONSOR: Alferman

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass with Amendments" by the Standing Committee on Ways and Means by a vote of 11 to 1. HCS Voted "Do Pass" by the Select Committee on Financial Institutions and Taxation by a vote of 9 to 0.

Beginning January 1, 2018, employers with 250 or more employees must file their Form W-2s electronically to the state unless granted a waiver for the federal requirement to file electronically by the Internal Revenue Service.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that having larger employers provide electronic copies of Form W-2 to the Department of Revenue should not create any additional reporting burden on businesses while helping the department better monitor for fraudulent returns.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Alferman; Mari Ruck, City Of Kansas City; Missouri Department of Revenue; Missouri Society Of CPAs; and Associated Industries Of Missouri.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.